

RULES TO FOLLOW IN NATURAL AND HISTORICAL AREAS AND MUSEUMS

Protected Plant and Animal Species

- Mediterranean Monk Seal, Green Sea Turtle, and Loggerhead Sea Turtle (Caretta Caretta) are some of the protected animals in these regions.
- Some of our protected plant species include Cyclamen, Iris Flower, Sand Lily, and Narcissus.
- 5 endemic plants belonging to 5 ancient cities in Antalya province are protected. These are the Burçak (Phaselis), Perge's Hava Cıvası, Side's Canavar Otu, Aspendos's Orkide and Termessos's Çiğdemi.
- It is illegal to buy souvenirs made from protected plant and animal species.
- Hunting is prohibited outside the dates permitted by the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry.
- We kindly request that you do not participate in activities that separate animals from their natural habitat, such as circuses and dolphin shows.



MONK SEAL



İRİS FLOWER



CYCLAMEN



CHELONIA MYDAS



SAND LILY



(CARETTA CARETTA)



NARCISSUS



TERMESOS SPRİNG CROCUS



SİDE OROBANCHE



FASELİS LEAFLESS SPURGE



PERGE SNOW DROP



ASPENDOS ORCHID

Rules to be Followed in Natural and Historical Areas, Museums

- Do not touch the exhibits and cases (pedestals) displayed in the museum and archaeological site, and do not write on them.
- Do not make noise,
- Listen carefully to what is being told, ask your guide and (if any) museum education specialists what you are curious about.
- Pay attention to the warnings given in the museum/archaeological site.
- Do not eat anything in the museum/archaeological site.
- Kindly refrain from throwing trash on the ground.
- Follow the rules of the museum you are visiting regarding taking pictures.
- Do not climb on/touch historical ruins in open-air museums/archaeological sites.
- Do not feed wild animals.
- Do not disturb wild animals during your visits to natural areas.
- Historical artifacts should not be removed from their original locations. They should not be taken out of the country.
- Do not give money or items to child beggars. This may encourage those who exploit them to continue this practice.

Respect for Humans

While carrying out all these activities; do not neglect the personal spaces of women and children. In particular, we kindly ask you to be tolerant towards children and to avoid any behavior that will cause harm.

How to Behave in Religious Places

There are certain rules that we must follow in the mosques where we perform our religious worship,

- Shoes/slippers etc. are not worn in the mosque,
- Women's hair should be covered with a headscarf/headscarf etc. and their clothes should be careful to cover their bodies,
- Loud conversations should not be made,
- Respect should be shown to other people.